

Amendment No. 1 to SB0712

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by deleting all language following the enacting clause and substituting in place thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-32-202, is amended by adding the following new definition to be appropriately designated:

(___) "Coinsurance" means an enrollee's share of covered medical expenses when an enrollee and the health maintenance organization share in a specific ratio of the covered medical expenses.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-32-204(a)(2), is amended by deleting the present language in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(2) The health maintenance organization will effectively provide or arrange for the provision of basic health care service on a prepaid basis through insurance or otherwise, except to the extent of reasonable enrollee cost sharing requirements such as co-payments, deductibles or coinsurance; provided, however, that for basic health care services through participating network providers, the ratio of co-insurance shall not exceed an eighty (80%) to twenty percent (20%) ratio between the health maintenance organization and the enrollee respectively.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-32-207(a)(3)(B)(ii), is amended by deleting the present language in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

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Any limitation on the services, kind of services, benefits, or kind of
benefits, to be provided, including any deductible, co-payment, or co-insurance
feature;

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare
requiring it.